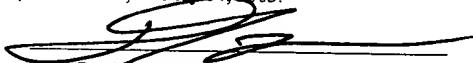


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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated January 14, 2003, for which a response was due on April 14, 2003, and for which an one-month extension of time is also requested to extend the time for response to May 14, 2003.